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**TRAGEDY IN WALLACHIA.**—A tragic affair occurred recently at Bucharest, Wallachia, arising out of legal proceedings for recovery of a debt. An old man, a Servian resident, owed a sum of money to a usurer, who, falling to obtain payment of his claim, went to law and obtained a writ against his debtor. When, however, he proceeded to eject the old Servian considerable difficulties "cropped up." The old Servian did not like to be ejected, and endeavored in the first instance to induce his creditor to grant him a respite. His request was ably backed up by his wife and children, but it was made in vain, for the creditor was inexorable. Annoyed at the refusal of his application, the old Servian somewhat hastily plunged a knife into the heart of the usurer, probably intending no harm, but imagining that the usurer had no heart. If the old Servian had simply contented himself with killing the usurer, perhaps little would have been thought of the matter, but unfortunately on a bystander, officially attempting to seize him, the old Servian, still further irritated, gave him also a mortal stab. Here the tragedy would probably have ended, but that the dying bystander, instead of forgiving his assailant in his last moments, was unchristian enough before he died to seize a great log of wood and knock the old Servian's brains out. The bystander then escaped, and everybody concerned in the affair being dead, nothing remained to be done but to bury their bodies. The fate of the old Servian excited general sympathy, and much indignation is expressed at the conduct of the usurer which has led to such deplorable results.

**NEW YORK CITY.**—Twenty-four dollars purchased the whole city and county of New York in 1625. In 1638 tobacco was produced to a considerable extent on New York Island. In 1662 the first public school was established, streets first paved in 1676; in 1697 there were twelve streets in Wall street. In 1711 a slave market was established in Wall street. In 1729 three pence a foot was given for land on the west side of Broadway, near the Battery. The first stage route between New York and Boston was established in 1732—ten fourteen days from city to city. In 1733 a law was passed to preserve the fish in the Fresh Water Pond [the Kolk], now Central street and neighborhood. In 1737 a market-house was built in Broadway, opposite Crown, now Liberty street; the city at that time contained 1416 houses. In 1745 the first coach [Lady Murray's] was driven in New York. When the British evacuated the city, Nov. 25, 1783, the buildings did not extend beyond Murray street. In 1801 Broadway was ordered to be continued through Thomas Randall's land, near Eighth street, to meet the Bowery, and the hills levelled and carted into Fresh Water Pond, which was then the northern limits of Broadway, and much beyond the settled parts of the city. Previous to this extension of Broadway the Bowery was the only entrance to the city, through groves of cedar, to the Ball's Head, now the Bowery Theatre. The old Potter's Field is now the Washington Parade Ground.

**SOMETHING LIKE A FISH STORY.**—A singular fatality is recorded of a member of a German family residing in Kansas. It was the eldest daughter, the flower and pride of the house. Having resided some time in Georgia, she there acquired the habit of "poking," or dirt-eating. She continued the practice after reaching Kansas. Her father's land becoming overrun by grasshoppers, who deposited their eggs in the earth, she did not cease from her accustomed meal of clay—only finding it a little more savory. After some time she began to swell, as though dropsical, her appetite underwent a change, and she craved only blades of corn, leaves of trees, &c. To her friends she said she felt like taking wings and fly away. A Dr. Le Duc was called in, who had never seen such a case. At last, on the day when the grasshoppers were rising and taking their flight, she, after gazing at them some time, flapped her arms as wings, rose about ten feet in the air, and fell to the ground dead. The doctor made a post mortem examination of the unfortunate maiden, which revealed the wonderful fact that her inside was literally swarming with full grown grasshoppers. The theory is that she ate of the clay in which the insects had deposited their eggs; they were hatched out inside of her; her appetite partook of theirs; and when the time came for the grasshoppers to migrate, instead directed those inside of her to do the same. This is taken as a strong proof of the truth of Professor Tyndale's doctrine of materialism—whatever that doctrine be.

**METHOD FOR MAKING HARD SOAP.**—A farmer's wife says: Having used several different recipes for making hard soap, and having found one very superior to any, I venture to send it to you. Take 14 pounds of lard, 3 pounds washing soda, 2 gallons soft water; boil half an hour, and settle all night; then pour off the liquid into a brass or iron kettle, and put in half pound of rosin and three pounds of grease; boil an hour, and put into your mould. It is ready for use when cold, but improves with keeping in a cool place. This recipe I have used for a number of years, and it has never failed to give satisfaction. I make it out of tallow, lard, grease, arising from meat boiling, drippings of beef, mutton or pork, and always have a good article. For toilet soap I use perfectly pure, sweet lard or tallow and white rosin, and give a little longer time in boiling, sometimes adding a little borax, or something healing to the skin. Of course perfume and coloring can be added by those who like them, but I prefer the pure article. This soap I prefer for my own use not only because it is an excellent and beautiful soap, but also because I "know what is in it."

**ASTHMA REMEDY.**—Gather what I call brakes, by some called ferns, in the woods; dry them; place some under the sheet and sleep on them. Add a few fresh ones every few weeks, and do not abandon it as soon as a little better; continue a year or more. This is an old Indian remedy.

## DRUGS AND CHEMICALS.



Nearly all diseases originate from Indigestion and Turpidity of the Liver, and relief is always anxiously sought after. If the Liver is regulated in its action, health is almost invariably secured. Want of action in the Liver causes Headache, Constipation, Jaundice, Pain in the Shoulders, Cough, Chills, Dizziness, Sour Stomach, bad taste in the mouth, bilious attacks, palpitation of the heart, depression of spirits, or the blues, and a hundred other symptoms, for which the medicine has ever been discovered. Its action is healthy, and being a simple vegetable compound, can do no injury in any quantity; it may be taken, it is harmless in every way; it has been used for FORTY YEARS, and hundreds of the good and great from all parts of the country will vouch for its being the purest and best.

**SIMMONS' LIVER REGULATOR,**  
OR MEDICINE.  
Is harmless,  
Is no drastic violent medicine,  
Is sure to cure if taken regularly,  
Is no intoxicating beverage,  
Is a faultless family medicine,  
Is the cheapest medicine in the world,  
Is given with safety and the happiest results to the most delicate infirm.  
Does not interfere with business,  
Does not disarrange the system,  
Takes the place of Quinine and Bitters of every kind.  
Contains the simplest and best remedies.  
FOR SALE BY ALL DRUGGISTS.

**W. FRANKLIN CROSBY,**  
Wholesale and Retail Dealer in  
DRUGS, CHEMICALS, PATENT MEDICINES, PAINTS, OILS, DYE STUFFS, GARDEN SEED, &c., &c.,  
No. 85 King street, (under Store of H. H. Cook.)  
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.  
Physicians' Prescriptions carefully compounded. Orders will receive prompt attention.

**H. H. COOK, HENRY COOK & CO.,**  
Wholesale and Retail Dealers in  
PURE DRUGS AND CHEMICALS, PAINTS, VARNISHES AND OILS,  
WINDOW GLASS AND PUTTY.  
No. 107 King street.  
Prompt attention given to orders and inquiries from the country.

**E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.,**  
DEALERS IN  
PURE DRUGS AND MEDICINES,  
CHEMICALS, PAINTS, OILS, VARNISHES, GARDEN SEEDS,  
SPICES, ACIDS, &c., &c.,  
Nos. 5 and 7 South Fairfax st.,  
ALEXANDRIA, VA.  
aug 2-14

**SAMUEL H. JANNEY, MAHLON B. JANNEY, JANNEY & CO.,**  
DEALERS IN  
PURE DRUGS, LEWIS' WHITE LEAD, Paints, Oils and Varnishes,  
FRENCH WINDOW GLASS & PUTTY.  
No. 145 King street.  
Orders and inquiries from the country promptly attended to.

**JAS. F. MUIR, JOHN A. MUIR, JAMES F. MUIR & BRO.,**  
[Successors to Wm. H. Muir & Son.]  
Manufacturers of and Dealers in  
**FURNITURE,**  
111 and 113 KING STREET,  
ALEXANDRIA, VA.  
A large and fine stock always on hand.

**JAMES H. DEVAUGHN,**  
Manufacturer and Dealer in  
**FURNITURE,**  
No. 130 King street,  
ALEXANDRIA, VA.  
LOOKING GLASSES,  
HAIR, COTTON TOP  
AND HUSB MATRESSES,  
kept constantly on hand and made to order at reasonable prices.  
In order to secure prompt attention orders should be addressed to  
my 18-14

**STEPHEN A. GREEN, JAMES E. GREEN, GREEN & BROTHER'S**  
**STEAM**  
**Furniture Works and Saw Mill**  
ALEXANDRIA, VA.  
Having fitted up our factory with the latest and most approved machinery, we are prepared to furnish all kinds of HOUSE, OFFICE and SCHOOL FURNITURE at the very lowest rates; and are also prepared to do all kinds of SAWING and TURNING, MOULDING, PLANING and CARVING in our line.  
Wanted, in exchange for the Furniture, Walnut, Popular, Oak, Maple, Birch and Cedar Logs.

**GEORGE R. MILL & CO.,**  
**Steam Cracker & Cake Bakers,**  
ALEXANDRIA, VA.  
my 15-14

**BROOMS! BROOMS! BROOMS!**  
A large assortment of all sizes and kinds on hand and for sale by  
my 30

**A LARGE LOT OF WINDOW GLASS** received at this day and for sale in quantities to suit by  
my 8

**LADIES' SACKING FLANNEL**, in all the desirable colors; also the different shades in Plain Sacking  
aug 27

**PRIME PORTO RICO and DEMERARA SUGARS** received to-day by  
my 14

**I PROTECT** my customers by selling Br. ome to the trade only.  
my 16

**LIME, CEMENT and CALCINED PLASTER**, of superior quality, for sale by  
my 12

**SUGAR CURKE HAMS**—Magnolia, Bonnet, Palmated, Star, and other choice brands  
my 7

## PROFESSIONAL.

**E. B. MANTOR,**  
ATTORNEY AT LAW AND CLAIM AGENT,  
Practices in all the Governmental Courts and before the various Departments and Commissioners in Washington.  
BOX 229, WASHINGTON, D. C.  
Special attention paid to the prosecution of all classes of claims against the Government.  
Washington, sep 9-601m

**DR. E. S. FAWCETT,**  
DENTIST,  
Office, 93 North Washington street,  
ALEXANDRIA, VA.  
Fillings of Gold and other material at moderate charges.  
LAUGHING GAS administered for extracting teeth.  
ARTIFICIAL TEETH inserted by the most improved method.  
All work guaranteed. sep 8-6m

**BOOKS AND STATIONERY.**  
ESTABLISHED 1818.  
**GEORGE E. FRENCH,**  
BOOKSELLER AND STATIONER,  
No. 95 King street,  
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.  
HEADQUARTERS FOR THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS OF VIRGINIA.  
Now on hand a full supply of the books re-adopted by the Virginia State Board of Education, and prepared to furnish them in any quantity at the State contract price.  
Orders are respectfully solicited.  
Dealer in School, Blank and Miscellaneous Books, Bibles, Catholic and Episcopal Prayer Books of all sizes and styles.  
Also Copy, Note and Letter Paper, Printing Cards, Bill Heads of all sizes and styles, Printing and Book Paper, Flat Cap, Letter, Demy and Medium, Drawing Paper and Instruments, Blank Books, Ledgers, Journals, Day Books, Cash Books full and half bound, Composition Books, Memorandum and Pass Books.  
Special attention paid to the making up of Blank Books for courts and railroad companies.  
Envelopes of all grades and sizes.  
Initial Note Paper and Envelopes and Paper-boards, a large stock always on hand.  
Fried's celebrated French Note Paper, rep and plain, a variety of shades, and French Quadrille Note Paper and Envelopes to match.  
Sermon Paper and very thin French Letter and Note Paper for foreign correspondence.  
Finn field Pens, Westcott's fine Pocket Knives, Pocket Books of the best Russia Leather and Turkey Morocco; also Russia and Morocco Satchels and Travelling Bags.  
Water Colors, Inkstands, Statues, Pencils, Dominoes, Backgammon Boards and Men, French, English and American Ink, Ballers and all other articles usually kept in a first-class Bookstore.  
GEORGE E. FRENCH,  
95 King street.

**GIFT CERTIFICATE,**  
FIRST GRAND GIFT CERTIFICATE  
FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE  
Montpelier Female Humane Association,  
AT ALEXANDRIA, VA.,  
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NOVEMBER 22, 1874.  
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LIST OF GIFTS.

1 Grand Cash Gift.....\$100.00  
1 Grand Cash Gift.....50.00  
1 Grand Cash Gift.....25.00  
10 Cash Gifts, \$10.00 each.....100.00  
15 Cash Gifts, 5.00 each.....75.00  
50 Cash Gifts, 1.00 each.....50.00  
100 Cash Gifts, .50 each.....50.00  
1,000 Cash Gifts, .10 each.....100.00  
1,000 Cash Gifts, .05 each.....50.00  
20,000 Cash Gifts, .01 each.....200.00

22,178 Cash Gifts, amounting to.....\$1,000.00  
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Number of Tickets, 100,000.  
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PRICE OF TICKETS.

Whole Tickets.....\$20.00  
Halves.....10.00  
Quartets.....5.00  
Eighths or each Coupon.....1.00  
54 Tickets for.....20.00  
54 Tickets for.....20.00

The Montpelier Female Humane Association, chartered by the Legislature of Virginia and the Circuit Court of Orange county, proposes, by a series of Grand Gift Certificates, to establish and endow a "Home for the Old, Infirm and Destitute Ladies of Virginia," at Montpelier, the former residence of President Jas. Madison.  
The Association is under the control of eight trustees, six of whom are elected bi-annually by the stockholders and two appointed by the Governor of Virginia.  
References by permission: His Excellency, James L. Kemper, Governor of Virginia; His Excellency, Gilbert C. Walker, ex-Gov. of Va.; Hon. Robert C. Withers, Lieutenant Governor of Virginia and U. S. Senator elect; Hon. Robt. W. Hughes, Judge Eastern District of Virginia; Senators and Members of Congress from Virginia.

Governor of Ohio, Richmond, July 3, '74.  
It affords me pleasure to say that I am well acquainted with a large majority of the officers of the Montpelier Female Humane Association who reside in the vicinity of my home, and I attest their intelligence and their worth and high reputation as gentlemen, as well as the public confidence, influence and substantial means liberally represented among them.  
JAMES L. KEMPER, Gov. of Virginia.

Alexandria, Va., July 8th, 1874.  
My personal acquaintance with a majority of the gentlemen controlling the Montpelier Female Humane Association and the reputation of all of them enables me to commend them as fully entitled to the confidence of the public. No act or representation inconsistent with honor and integrity need be apprehended in the conduct or representations of these gentlemen.  
R. W. HUGHES,  
U. S. Judge East. Dist. of Va.

For full particulars, testimonials, &c., send for circular.  
Remittances for tickets may be made by express pre-paid, postoffice money order on Alexandria, Va., or by registered letter, addressed to Hon. James H. BARBOUR, President M. F. H. A., Alexandria, Va.  
Reliable Agents wanted everywhere.  
aug 15-6d

**REMOVAL OF FERGUSON'S HAIR DEPOT.**  
Selling off at cost to open with a fresh stock at 16 King street, next door to Dr. Entwistle's.  
aug 1

**TOILET SOAPS**—Colgate & Co's., McKeone, Van Hagan & Co's., Robinson Bros. & Co's., and Park Co's. Toilet Soap, &c., &c., &c.  
R. B. LAWSON & CO.  
my 7

**POWDER, SHOT and GUN CAPS** for sale by  
[aug 31] J. C. MILBURN.

## COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

**J. C. MILBURN,**  
Wholesale and Retail  
GROCER AND COMMISSION MERCHANT  
No. 19 N. Royal st., cor. Market space,  
ALEXANDRIA, VA.  
Orders and consignments solicited. They will receive careful and prompt attention. aug 21

**R. M. LAWSON,**  
GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANT,  
No. 69 Cameron street,  
ALEXANDRIA, VA.  
Deals in Standard Fertilizers and Grass Seeds. Cash advances made on Grain in store. Consignments solicited. aug 9

**R. B. LAWSON & CO.,**  
[Successors to R. M. Lawson.]  
GROCERS AND LIQUOR MERCHANTS,  
No. 67 Cameron street,  
ALEXANDRIA, VA.  
aug 8

**B. H. LAMBERT, JR.,**  
[Successor to B. H. Lambert.]  
SHIPPING & COMMISSION MERCHANT,  
15 UNION STREET,  
ALEXANDRIA, VA.  
Agent for FICKLIN & SON'S celebrated brands of FLOUR, BRIDGEWATER FAMILY, BELMONT XX EXTRA and MILL-FEEL.  
Orders and consignments solicited. feb 18-14

**LEWIS MCKENZIE, JNO. J. JAMIESON, JNO. J. JAMIESON & CO.,**  
GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS  
No. 3 South Union street,  
ALEXANDRIA, VA.  
Special attention paid to the sale of Wheat, Flour and Country Produce. Orders for Groceries, Plaster, Seeds and Salt filled at market rates.  
Agents for PATAPSCO GUANO. [sep 3-14]

**THOMAS PERRY,**  
GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANT  
AND AGENT FOR  
THE SALE OF FERTILIZERS,  
No. 17 King street,  
ALEXANDRIA, VA.  
aug 16-14

**GEO. WASHINGTON, R. J. WASHINGTON, WASHINGTON & BROTHER,**  
COMMISSION MERCHANTS  
NO. 20 UNION STREET,  
ALEXANDRIA, VA.  
Consignments of Grain, Merchandise and all kinds of Country Produce solicited. Special attention given to all business entrusted to them. Prompt returns made. sep 21

**W. A. SMOOT,**  
DEALER IN  
COAL, SALT AND PLASTER  
SMOOT'S WHARF,  
(Foot of Princess st.)  
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.  
feb 21-14

**HOOKE & JOHNSTON,**  
[Successors to Fowler & Co.]  
GENERAL  
COMMISSION AND SHIPPING MERCHANTS.  
Dealers in all kinds of  
FERTILIZERS, SALT AND PLASTER  
Agents of the  
NEW YORK & BALTIMORE STEAMERS.  
Also the  
LIVERPOOL & LONDON & GLOBE INSURANCE COMPANY.  
feb 5-14

**SHINN & CO**  
[Successors to Samuel Hartley.]  
GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS  
No. 13 Union street,  
ALEXANDRIA, VA.  
Particular attention paid to the selling of FLOUR, GRAIN and all kinds of COUNTRY PRODUCE, and filling all orders for GROCERIES, GUANO, PLASTER, SEEDS, &c., &c., at the lowest market rates.  
Agents for the sale of James S. Welch's celebrated brands of FAMILIAR FLOUR, XXX Ales and Porters always on hand. Agents for the Baltimore and Potomac Transportation line. jan 5-14

**J. BRODERS, J. BRODERS & CO.,**  
No. 11 King street,  
ALEXANDRIA, VA.  
GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS  
GROCERIES,  
LIQUORS,  
PROVISIONS,  
SALT FISH,  
and PRODUCE.  
Also keep on hand a general assortment of Canned Goods, Pickles, Nuts, Jam, Packing, Oils, Lamps and Ship, and Naval Stores.  
All orders and consignments promptly attended to, and goods forwarded without delay to consignees on arrival.  
Agents for Dupont's Gunpowder.  
XXX Ales and Porters always on hand. Agents for the Baltimore and Potomac Transportation line. mh 10-14

**NEW GOODS**—Received this day: Iodide of Potassium, White's Tooth Powder, Pierce's Nasal Douche, Lyon's Tooth Tablets, Drexel's Vienna Cologne, Gum Tragacanth, White Castile Soap, French Yellow Ochre and Solution Citrate Magnesia.  
sep 15

**LAUNDRY SOAPS**—B. T. Babbin's best Soap, do. N. Y. City, McKeone, Van Hagan & Co's. German Olive, James Welch's Improved Olive, Lyon's Ammonia, C. B. Jewell & Co's. Laundry, J. Grigg & Co's. Family and Z. Taberner's.  
sep 8

**REAL HAIR! REAL HAIR!**  
Large stock on hand and heavy additions will be received within a few days. Every conceivable shade.  
aug 10

**FOR DYSPEPSIA, Indigestion, Headache, Loss of Appetite, &c., OLD VIRGINIA EXCELSIOR BITTERS** have no equal. Give them a trial and be convinced.  
aug 25

**FINE GROSS OF DAVIS & MILLER'S FLAVORING EXTRACTS** received this day, which we are prepared to sell to the trade at Baltimore prices.  
aug 11

**PURE CIDER VINEGAR**, whole and ground Spices, Green Ginger, Flavoring Extracts and Syrups, for sale by  
sep 14

**EXTRA STOCK LARGE YORK CABBAGE SEED**, just arrived from Europe, and for sale by  
sep 17

**PRESERVING SUGARS**—Hard and Soft, Crushed and V. P. Sugars, just received and for sale low by  
sep 17

**MCDONALD'S WASHINGTON CRYSTAL**, the very best in use, for sale by  
sep 8

**ANOTHER LOT OF GREEN GINGER** just received by  
sep 17

**DREXEL'S VIENNA BELL** for sale at 107 King street.  
sep 17

## DRY GOODS.

**GENTLEMEN'S DEPARTMENT**  
FOR THE  
FALL OF 1874.  
We have just finished opening and marking our new stock of  
FALL CASSIMERES,  
CLOTHS, VESTINGS, &c.,  
which we selected in the market with great care. We are fully prepared to furnish suits or parts of suits on the shortest notice and in the very best style, guaranteeing a fit and satisfaction in every particular, and our arrangements are such for making up clothing that the prices will be low enough to please all.  
A full line of Dress Shirts, Collars, Cuffs, Neckties, Suspenders, &c., constantly on hand. Shirts made to order by measure. Fit guaranteed.  
sep 3

**D. F. WITMER CO.,**  
FALL TRADE—SEPTEMBER 1st, 1874.  
NEW GOODS.  
I beg to call the attention of the ladies to the following DRESS GOODS just received and very handsome: French Drab d'ete, Cashmere, English Tweed Suits and French, English and American Poplins.  
sep 1

**D. F. BRASHEAR,**  
Corner King and Pitt streets.  
**PRETZFELDER & BENDHEIM,**  
141 King street.  
Have just received a large lot of WHITE and COLORED MOSQUITO NETTING, which they are selling at 50c, 62c and 75c per piece. EXTRA BARGAINS in VICTORIA LAWNS, a splendid quality, 20 and 25c per yd. A new line of LADIES' BELTS, the very latest style.  
Also the largest assortment of EMBROIDERIES we have had this season, of many beautiful styles, and at greatly reduced prices. aug 1

**SILK-FACED LENOS,**  
for  
GRENADINE LININGS,  
just to hand.  
D. F. WITMER CO.  
my 27

**DAMECE, FUCHY AND LLAMA LACE JACKETS.**  
Another large invoice at  
my 25

**OLD FASHIONED DRESS GOODS FOR LADIES.**  
We have a lot of goods that have accumulated from year to year, some of which are very desirable. To close them out we have put a price on them that will make them sell.  
Call and see them.  
my 29

**BLACK LLAMA LACE JACKETS.**  
Another large invoice of Llama Lace Jackets, Points and Veils, very desirable, just opened by  
my 25

**NAVY BLUE and PLUM PARASOLS and SUN UMBRELLAS.**  
A beautiful line just opened at  
D. F. WITMER CO'S.  
my 16

**BLACK GRENADINES**—A splendid line received this morning.  
my 16

**MATIN AGUE MIXTURE**  
Will positively cure  
CHILLS AND FEVER.  
This Mixture contains nothing whatever that can injure the general health, nor is it disagreeable to the taste. It is composed of the finest ingredients, and the patient need not change his customary mode of living whilst taking the remedy. It is a pleasant tonic, and if taken in small quantities before breakfast each day, it will prevent Chills and Fever in localities where miasma prevails.  
It will be found that Matin Ague Mixture excites an appetite and improves the general health. For children as well as adults it will be found a most effective and pleasant remedy.  
Baltimore, Md., August 4, 1873.  
This is to Certify, That I have this day sold out Messrs. Janney & Co., of Alexandria, Va., the sole right to prepare and sell the Matin Ague Mixture, according to the genuine recipe as formerly owned by me.  
ROBERT L. WOOD.

**JANNEY & CO.,**  
Sole Proprietors and Manufacturers,  
145 King st., Alexandria, Va.  
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**GREAT BARGAINS IN WALL PAPERS**  
GILT, SATIN and BLANK.  
Job lot and remnant of Wall Papers, suitable for large or small rooms.  
The cheapest lot of Wall Papers ever offered in this city.  
Call soon if you want to get bargains. They will be sold much below cost to close them out.  
my 15

**JOHN A. FIELD,**  
[Successor to William Buckingham.]  
MANUFACTURER and DEALER IN  
Cigars, Tobacco, Snuff, Pipes,  
&c., &c., &c.,  
NO. 71 KING STREET.  
Give me a call. jan 1

**FERGUSON'S**  
Hair and Fancy Goods Store,  
Has removed to  
NO. 56 KING STREET,  
(Opposite Sargeant Hall.)  
aug 27

**JUST RECEIVED.**  
3 HERRING PURE SUGAR-CURED CANNED HAMMS.  
Also SMOKED POTOMAC HERRING and POTOMAC SHAD in pickle.  
W. A. JOHNSON,  
Corner Pitt and Queen streets.  
my 7

**FISH! FISH!**  
100 lbs prime NEW EASTERN HERRING.  
50 lbs NEW NO. 1 LARGE MACKEREL.  
20 lbs POTOMAC SHAD.  
100 lbs POTOMAC SHAD.  
30 lbs SHAD ROE. For sale by  
aug 19

**IMPORTED BAY RUM**—We desire to call the attention of the public, and of the ladies particularly, to our very superior GENUINE IMPORTED BAY RUM, which we offer at the low price of 50c per pint.  
aug 28

**WATERMELONS**  
A full supply of the best and freshest WATERMELONS and CANTALOUPE always on hand and for sale at the cheapest rates at the foot of King street by  
aug 3-14

**STOCKINGS, CHEAP and GOOD, AT**  
No. 62 KING STREET.  
Ladies' Hosiery—Just opened a full supply of these goods, including some very low-priced, and also others of superior quality, together with the different grades of three-thread and iron-frame Hosiery.  
[aug 28]

**SEED WHEAT.**  
20 bushels CHOICE WHITE WHEAT.  
Also 100 bushels of the cele. rated "FULTZ" WHEAT. For sale by  
aug 22

**FALL SUPPLY.**  
ZEPHYR WORSTEDS,  
GERMANTOWN WOOLS and YARNS,  
Just received at  
sep 11

## FERTILIZERS.

**IMPORTANT TO FARMERS**  
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**ONLY \$40 A TON.**  
---  
**GUANAHANI!**  
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AN IMPORTED NATURAL GUANO

**A GENUINE ANIMAL DEPOSIT**  
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